

Sunday, 28th June, 2026 – 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

TEMPLEORUM

PARISH NEWSLETTER

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WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS AT THIS TIME
people of the parish, those who have passed away in our community, our beloved family members & friends and all those who need our prayers at this time.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Jim Power, Three Bridges and The Old Hill, Carrick-Beg

ANNIVERSARIES

*Len Coffey, Belline
John Culleton
Brenda Jackson
Josephine & Andrew Merry, Fiddown
Micheal Reville*

OWNING & TEMPLEORUM SUNDAY 10AM MASS ROSTER

28th June – Templeorum Church
5th July – Owing Church
12th July – Templeorum Church
19th July – Owing Church

TIME WITH JESUS

The group will meet this coming Wednesday at 7:30pm in Piltown Community Centre and will then finish up for the summer. Meetings will resume again in September. Thanks to everyone who has come along during the year.

WEEKLY EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Owing: Tuesdays from 2-3pm
Piltown: Thursdays at 10:30am

WEEKLY PARISH ENVELOPES

If any households in the Parish did not receive weekly envelopes via the recent distribution in the three churches and would like to do so, please contact the Parish office directly on 051-643112.

CEMETERY MASSES

Thanks to all who attended the recent Cemetery Masses throughout the Parish. Your support was very much appreciated and all donations collected will be used towards the upkeep of the graveyards.

MASS CARDS

Mass Bouquets and Mass Cards are available at the Parochial Office in Piltown and also the Church Sacristy.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Eucharistic ministers would love to hear from Parishioners who themselves are sick or housebound or people they know who are in the same situation in order that Communion can be brought to their home. Please contact any of the Church Sacristans with contact details in order to arrange a visit.

KILTEGIN FATHER'S VISIT

We welcome Fr. Tom O'Connor to our Parish this weekend for the Kiltegan Father's Mission Appeal will take place on 27th/28th June, during which time they will highlight that Missionary work lies at the very heart of our faith as followers of Christ. The Church by its very nature, is Missionary. The Father's also wish to express their sincere gratitude for your generous support in the past.

SUNDAY FUNERALS IN THE PARISH

As of 1 st July next there will be no Sunday funerals celebrated in Piltown Church.

When the usual 10am Sunday Mass is celebrated in either Owing or Templeorum, a funeral may be included in that Mass.

Fr. Paschal Moore P.P

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

On Tuesday, 30th June at 7:30pm there will be a Rosary procession from Piltown Community centre to the grotto at the side of Piltown Church and all parishioners are welcome to join in this special occasion.

PILGRIMAGE TO ASSISI & ROME

The pilgrimage takes place from 2th to the 30th October, 2026. Included are visits to the Tombs of St. Francis of Assisi, St. Carlo Acutis and St. Clare of Assisi. Spiritual director will be Fr. Marius Tomulesei OFM. Full itinerary available or to book your place, please contact Marian Pilgrimages on 01-878819.

KEEP PILTOWN TIDY

Do you have a few hours to spare each week? Are you passionate about making Piltown a brighter, cleaner, and more welcoming place to live? We are looking for new volunteers and committee members to join our friendly team! We aren't just about picking up litter - we work on biodiversity, heritage preservation, and sustainable community projects. There is a role for everyone, whether you want to help with planting and floral displays, weekly clean-ups and approach road maintenance, social media or administration. Get in Touch by sending us a private message on Facebook/Instagram, or text/call us at 087-2191808. We would love to have you on board!

ST. FRANCIS PAUPER'S CEMETERY

The Annual Cemetery Mass will take place on Monday, July 6th at 7pm. The cemetery was restored 6 years ago. Interred there are hundreds of bodies from the mid-1800s to the mid-1900s. Remains of people taken from the workhouse, the Fever hospital (St. Bridgets), the Suir river and unknown bodies found dead around the town. The workhouse in Carrick housed people from Carrick, Piltown, Templeorum, Owing, Fiddown, Rathgormack, Clonea, Ballyneale, Kilcash, Portlaw, Kilmoganny and Windgap. Most deaths occurred during the great famine years, 1845 to 1852, due to diseases.

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE REPORT

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje -Wednesday, June 17th to Wednesday, June 24th, 2026.

6 Parishioners were part of a group of thirty-six who spent a week in Medjugorje recently. The group flew into Dubrovnik from Dublin and proceeded, by coach, to Medjugorje, a small town in the southern region of Bosnia and Herzegovina arriving at our hotel at 4:30pm. Apparitions of our Lady appear daily since June 24th, 1981, at 6:40 pm, local time. Twenty of our group were chosen to witness one of the visioners, Ivan Dragegovic, during the apparition on one of the evenings we were in Medjugorje. Our Lady's messages, each time, emphasise Prayer, Fasting, Confessions and peace. The hill of apparitions where the first apparitions took place is a place of devotion and prayer. Other places of interest are the Mountain of the Cross. A huge cross which was erected in 1933 to commemorate the 1,900th Anniversary of the crucifixion of Christ. The Blue cross site in Medjugorje is also highly revered, an assessable prayer site at the base of apparition hill. Our group had daily Mass and were lucky to have a priest with us, Fr. Michael Doyle PP of Oulart/the Ballagh parish in Wexford. Places of interest we visited during the week included the Franciscan monastery where the Nuns along with other services make over one and a half million communion hosts annually for the church in Medjugorje. The visit to the Cenacola community on the outskirts of Medjugorje is a faith based, free, residential addiction centre for men. Founded in 1983 by Sr. Elvira Petrozzi. The ethos of the centre is work, prayer and mutual support. The city of Mostar was visited by us on another day as was the shrine of St. Anthony in Humac, situated 15 km. from Medjugorje, it is home to a Franciscan community. The Franciscan community celebrate eight hundred years of its foundation worldwide this year. The entire trip was excellent and enjoyed by all, the weather was the most challenging at over forty degrees most days.

IVERK SHOW – 200TH SHOW

The next show meeting will take place on Monday, July 6th at 8:30pm in the Community Centre, Piltown. Big preparations are now well underway for the show on August 22nd. New members and helpers are especially needed for this year's show. Come along to the meeting where you will be very welcome or phone (051) 644621 or email: secretary@iverkshow.ie

PILTOWN COMMUNITY CENTRE TIMETABLE

Mondays: Bowls & Knitting Club 10am-1pm; Chloe Keating Music 3pm; Karate 5-7pm; Table Tennis 7-9pm.

Tuesdays: Chloe Keating Music 3pm; Irish Dancing 5pm-7pm; Keep Fit with Inga 7:30pm-8:30pm; Snooker 6pm-10pm.

Wednesdays: Keep Fit with Inga 7:30pm-8:30pm; Prayer Meeting 7:30pm-8:30pm; Snooker 6pm-10pm.

Thursdays: Bowls 10am-1pm; Chloe Keating Music 3pm; Table Tennis 7-9pm; Music with Noel 7-9pm; Snooker 6-10pm

Fridays: Bowls 10am-1pm & 5pm-8:30pm; Snooker 6pm-10pm. Library open Monday to Friday from 10am to 10pm.

PARISH PRIEST

Rev. Paschal Moore P.P.

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Weekend Masses in the Parish

Piltown – Saturday @ 6pm

Owning & Templeorum –

Every alternate Sunday @ 10am

Items for Newsletter

Items for inclusion in the Parish newsletter should be submitted to piltownparishnews@gmail.com by 7pm each Wednesday

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Useful Contact Numbers

Parish Bereavement Group

Mobile: 086-8450641

Piltown Conference of St. Vincent De Paul

Mobile: 086-2096341

Women's Aid Helpline

1800 341900

Pieta

1800 247 247 or text HELP to 51444

The Samaritans

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